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just a word ...

by Father Harvey

A congratulatory welcome is extended to the three newly elected Parish Council members. In the election conducted last weekend the three top vote-getters (listed alphabetically) were Mr. Ray Carpenter, Dr. Paul Nau, and Mr. Gary Wawrzaszek. Formal installation of the 1972-73 Council will take place on Sunday, July 9th, at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. The installation will precede the first Parish Council meeting for the new Council to be held on July 10th (this date coincides with Father King's arrival date. There's nothing like getting back in the saddle again!)

Our sincere thanks is extended to the three other candidates who ran in this past election, as well as to the out-going Parish Council President, Dr. Paul Nau, and to three of the Commission Chairmen who complete their terms of service; Mrs. Nancy Wagner, Chairman of the Worship Commission; Dr. Paul Nau, Chairman of the Education Commission; and Mr. Harold Gregg, Chairman of the Administration Commission, who stepped down after serving most faithfully their respective areas of responsibility. As called for by the Parish Council Constitution the new Council President will be elected by the assembled Council members on July 10th.

As of last Monday $5,281.50 has been remitted to the DDF office along with $1,134 in pledges. This represents a response of 365 registered families, approximately 400 families have yet to be heard from. Contacts by phone have begun to obtain the intentions of these families (as you will recall the Committee Chairman asked that each DDF envelope be returned whether or not they wished to contribute). We sincerely appreciate the sacrifices and cooperation we have received thus far. We can only hope such cooperation will reach a hundred percent.

FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

From Ephesians 1:17-22

May God give you a spirit
of wisdom and of revelation
in the knowledge of him,
that you may know the hope
to which he has called you,
the riches of his glorious inheritance
in the saints,
and the immeasureable greatness
of his power in us who believe,
according to the working
of his great might
which he accomplished in Christ
when he raised him from the dead
and made him sit at his right hand
in the heavenly places,
far above all rule and authority
and power and dominion,
and above every name that is names,
not only in this age
but also in that which is to come;
and he has put all things
under his feet
and made him the head over all things
for the church, which is his body,
the fullness of him who fills all in all.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY TO ALL THE DADS IN THE PARISH AND ESPECIALLY LET US WISH A HAPPY DAY TO FATHER HARVEY, THE INTERESTED AND PRAYERFUL FATHER TO ALL OF US AT ST. JOHN'S.

IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Mrs. Rita Shanley, age 59, died Saturday, June 10, 1972 at the University of Michigan Medical Center. Mrs. Shanley is survived by two sons, two sisters, and three brothers. The Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated at 12:00 Noon on Tuesday at St. John the Baptist Church and the burial followed in St. John's Cemetery.

May she rest in peace.

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Sunday, June 11

Dear Father Harvey,

This is a note to let you know that our family is moving to Livonia and will no longer belong to St. John's Parish.

Because my husband was completing work on his doctoral thesis, we didn't become involved in many parish activities. We will remember St. John's for its meaningful liturgies and concerned, friendly parishioners and staff.

Our Thanks,
The Richard Dahlke's

EDITOR'S NOTE: The liturgy committee and Fr. Harvey certainly deserve this compliment because they have indeed made our liturgies meaningful and fulfilling. As for friendly parishioners, we would have to go far to find friendlier!

WORSHIP COMMISSION

New officers elected at the May 15th meeting are to be congratulated:

Chairman ..... Mr. Clem Budinger
Vice-Chairman ..... Vera Clyne
Secretary ..... MaryWheeler
Treasurer ..... Dave Wheeler

THE FOLLOWING EDITORIAL WAS DELIVERED BY REV. DWAYNE SUMMERS OF DIXBORO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, ON MARCH 27, 1972, ON T.V., CHANNEL 4.

Abortion is not a private matter. Protection of minority rights, including those of the unborn, requires law, just as the rights of Blacks and of the elderly are protected by law. The rights of the unborn and those of racial minorities are embarrassingly similar for those who argue that we can intrust the human rights of one group to the care of another, leaving it up to the individual conscience alone. Laws do "impose morality" if we mean by that, that they prevent one group from indiscriminately destroying a smaller, less powerful one on

the basis of social or economic convenience. But I can imagine no more dogmatic imposition than that exhibited by persons who would terminate another's life on the basis of what they think makes a life worth living. This kind of "compassion" that seeks to improve life by destroying life is seriously misguided, and represents a danger against which society must protect itself, and its unborn, through law.

PARISH NUPTIALS

Miss Helen L. Jeppesen, a 1970 graduate of St. John High School, became the bride of R. Michael McCoy during a Nuptial Mass celebrated by Father David Harvey last Saturday afternoon. Helen is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Jeppesen of 219 S. Prospect. Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. McCoy of 538 Wharton.

Jacques Audet of Bloomington, Indiana and Mary Jeppesen were the couple's main attendants. Miss Bonnie Schimpp was the commentator of the wedding Mass.

Participating in the wedding rites with Father Harvey was the Reverend Keith Peters, pastor of the First Christian Church in Ypsilanti.

Our best wishes go out to Mike and Helen.

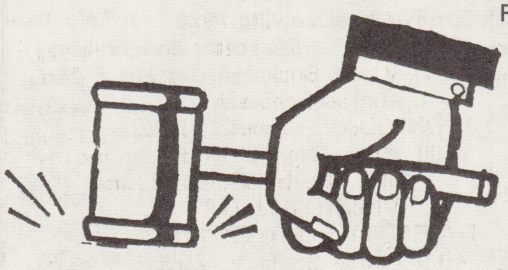
NEW LIFE IN CHRIST

Carol Yvonne Anderson, daughter of Joseph and Annette Henk Anderson, Scott Richard Brugh, son of Ronald and Judith Weeks Brugh, and Karen Frances Sullivan, daughter of John and Bernice Logarty Sullivan were baptized at the 11:00 AM Mass last Sunday, June 11, 1972 by Deacon Kenneth Grodzicki.

Carol's godparents were Gary Henk and Beverly Stone, Scott's were Thomas and Georgia Denoyer, and Karen's were Patrick and Mary Ann Sullivan.

Welcome Carol, Scott, and Karen.

ELECTION RESULTS



PARISH COUNCIL

CONGRATULATIONS to the three who were voted in as members of the Parish Council on June 11, 1972. They are: Dr. Paul Nau, Gary Wawrzaszek, and Mr. Ray Carpenter. When the votes were counted, it was found that 100 parishioners had voted. The three new members will be inducted into the Parish Council at the 9:00 AM Mass on Sunday, July 9th and will assume their new duties at the July Parish Council meeting.

Thank you Madeline Groshans, Harold Gregg and Don Courtois for your endeavors on the parish council this past year.

Things People Wonder About

Are Teen interested in giving their time to worthy causes? It would appear so in our parish. There are a few Seniors who are to be commended for a job well done at our parish Teen Center. Without Gerry Wysocki and Mike Buschell, the Center would never have been off the ground, but through their hard work which included long hours of painting and inducing attendance, the Center is a hub of activity. Mark Wawrzaszek, Jim Madigan, Diane DeLano, and Jacqui Gannon are to be commended for giving their time on Tuesday and Thursday evenings this past year and probably into the summer as student aides for the Center. Jim Fortuna has masterminded coke orders and AV materials, Jon Lester has given a great deal of time helping to keep the rooms clean and in order. To these Seniors, we express a thank you. Debbie Phetteplace, Mark Kuhl, and Stan Candiotti are the Juniors who will have a big order to fill during the next year as they have in the past.

Parish Calendar Of Events

SUNDAY – JUNE 18 – HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

9:00 AM and 11:00 AM – Masses - Babysitting services, Rm. 5, Religion Center

TEENS ARE SPONSORING COFFEE AND ROLLS AFTER THE 7:00, 9:00, and 11:00 AM MASSES FOR THE FATHERS OF THE PARISH AND THEIR FAMILIES.

MONDAY – JUNE 19

7:00 PM – Boy Scouts, Church Hall

7:30 PM – Worship Commission Meeting, Rm. 9, Religion Center

8:00 PM – Education Commission Meeting, Center Library

TUESDAY – JUNE 20

7:00 PM – Teen Center Activities

7:30 PM – Liturgy Meeting, Rm. 9, Religion Center

7:30 PM – Convert Meeting at the Rectory

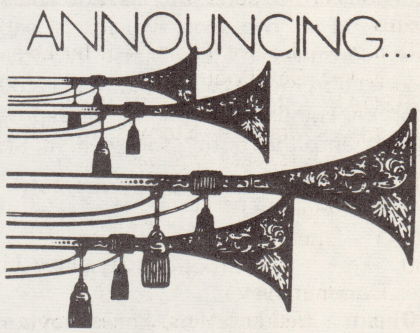
WEDNESDAY – JUNE 21

7:00 PM – Teen Center Activities

THURSDAY – JUNE 22

7:00 PM – Teen Center Activities

7:15 PM – Adult Choir, Room 9, Religion Center



CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

Anyone having any extra furniture to donate of any kind whatever, can find a place for their pieces at the Catholic Social Services. They will pick up if you call 484-1260 between the hours of 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM on Monday through Friday. There is always a need for furniture for needy families.

ST. THOMAS SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION RESULTS

Helen Barry, Bernard A. Pilon, Michael Anthony Schork, and Anne C. Teders are the four candidates elected to the St. Thomas School Board June 3rd and 4th. They will assume their new duties at the July School Board Meeting.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

Dads . . . . don't forget to come to the church basement this morning for rolls and coffee with your family. It is a good way to celebrate with other Dads, especially since it gives you a little more time with some of your friends, and of course, with your family. The Teens hope to see many of you there today.

THANK YOU MUCHLY

Sister Carol Schlarman and Sister Catherine Detloff want to thank each and every one of you who came to bid them farewell and Godspeed in their new work. They appreciated you giving your time and especially your good will in bidding them goodbye. They want you to know that you will be very especially remembered in their prayers.

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY — June 19, 1972 — Weekday
7:00 a.m. - Deceased of Fred Binder Family
TUESDAY — June 20, 1972 - Weekday
7:00 a.m. - Mrs. Winnie Hood, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Jack Starwas
12:00 Noon - Distribution of Holy Communion
WEDNESDAY — June 21, 1972 — St. Aloysius
7:00 a.m. — Louise Tobia, req. by Mr. & Mrs. DeFilippi
THURSDAY — June 22, 1972 - Weekday
7:00 a.m. - Mrs. Gay Starwas, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Jack Starwas
12:00 Noon - Distribution of Holy Communion
FRIDAY — June 23, 1972 - Weekday
7:30 a.m. - Distribution of Holy Communion
7:00 p.m. - Wedding Mass, James Moyle and Rita Kiefer
SATURDAY — June 24, 1972
9:00 a.m. - John Fogarty, req. by Mr. & Mrs. John Sullivan
5:00 p.m. - Hilton G. Falahee, req. by The Family
SUNDAY — June 25, 1972
7:00 a.m. - Deceased of August Binder Family, req. by Mrs. Andy Kelly
9:00 a.m. — Msgr. John F. Bradley, req. by Mr. & Mrs. John Jurenic
11:00 a.m. - Frank Panek, req. by Mrs. Frank Panek
7:00 p.m. - Kathleen Mullins, req. by The Durfee Family

MARRIAGE BANNS

Second Time
Ralph Schmuckal and Christine Kaminski

MASSES TO BE SAID AT HOLY TRINITY CHAPEL

MONDAY — June 19, 1972
4:00 p.m. - G.Thomas Riley, Req. by The Jolly Mixers
TUESDAY — June 20, 1972
4:00 p.m. — Elizabeth Boik, req. by Violet Bockatyn and Mr. & Mrs. Michael Schoesch
WEDNESDAY — June 21, 1972
4:00 p.m. - Lloyd E. Rodenour, req. by Mrs. Ruth Southwell and Mr. Vincent Southwell
THURSDAY — June 22, 1972
4:00 p.m. - Stella V. Ziegler, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Hugh Feuerstein

FINANCIAL BAROMETER

Sunday, June 11, 1972
$2,532.55

DDF — WEEK ENDING

June 11, 1972
$577.00 . . . . . Cash
$115.00 . . . . . Pledges

COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE

Saturday - June 24
5:00 PM . . . . . P. Parin
Sunday - June 25
7:00 AM . . . . . B. Anhut
9:00 AM . . . . . J. Baxter
11:00 AM . . . . . D. Wagner

LECTOR SCHEDULE

Saturday - June 24
5:00 PM . . . . . T. Sullivan
Sunday - June 25
7:00 AM . . . . . M. Anhut
9:00 AM . . . . . J. Palasek
11:00 AM . . . . . L. Sanford

ALTAR BOYS WEEK OF JUNE 18

WEEKDAY MASSES: 7:00 AM or 12:00 Noon
WEDNESDAY EVENING MASSES: 7:00 PM
SATURDAY MORNING MASSES: 9:00 AM
TEAM 1 — Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
Gregg White and Pat Heck
TEAM 2 — Thursday, Friday, Saturday
Mike Wideman and Pat Wideman
SATURDAY — June 24
5:00 PM — Mark Brown and Paul McLeod
SUNDAY — June 25
7:00 AM — Danny Gefre and Bill Wagner
9:00 AM — Dave Dupuis and Tom Anhut
11:00 AM — Scott Phetteplace and Mike Cicirelli
7:00 PM — Gregg White and Pat Heck

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SATURDAY EVENING — 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
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5:30 and 9:00 a.m.; 4:00, 6:00 and 8:00 p.m.
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